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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **WATANABE, Mitsuo, et al.**

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Examiner: **Uyen Chau N. LE**

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For: **BAR-CODE READER AND METHOD OF READING BAR-CODE**

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **April 4, 2005**, please amend the above-identified application as follows: